

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

IN RE: SOCIAL MEDIA ADOLESCENT
ADDICTION/PERSONAL INJURY
PRODUCTS LIABILITY LITIGATION

MDL No. 3047

THIS DOCUMENT RELATES TO:
ALL ACTIONS

Case Nos.: 4:22-md-03047-YGR-PHK

**[PROPOSED] ORDER RE JOINT
DISCOVERY LETTER BRIEF ON
CERTAIN NONCUSTODIAL
YOUTUBE DATABASES (DKT. 1540)
AND JOINT LETTER BRIEF ON RFP
NOS. 37 AND 50 (DKT. 1542)**

Judge: Hon. Yvonne Gonzalez Rogers
Magistrate Judge: Hon. Peter H. Kang

1 Pursuant to oral argument heard during the Court's January 16, 2025, Discovery
 2 Management Conference, the Court hereby ORDERS the following regarding PI/SD Plaintiffs and
 3 Defendants YouTube, LLC and Google LLC (together, "YouTube"), (collectively, the "Parties"),
 4 Joint Letter Brief re Certain Noncustodial YouTube Databases (Dkt. 1540) and Joint Letter Brief
 5 re RFP Nos. 37 and 50 (Account Sign Up and Cancellation Interfaces) (Dkt. 1542).

6 **Joint Letter Brief re Certain Noncustodial YouTube Databases (Dkt. 1540)**

7 1) With respect to Plaintiffs' request that the Court order YouTube to adopt Plaintiffs'
 8 proposed sampling procedure for non-custodial source "F," the Joint Letter Brief is
 9 withdrawn without prejudice in light of the resolution reached by the Parties on the day of
 10 the Discovery Management Conference without need for Court intervention.

11 2) With respect to Plaintiffs' request to compel YouTube to have one or more persons with
 12 actual knowledge of the functionality of the non-custodial sources referenced in the Joint
 13 Letter Brief (sources "F," "A," "L," and "B") participate in meet and confers concerning
 14 YouTube's searches of those sources, the Court grants Plaintiffs' request to the extent of
 15 requiring YouTube to schedule meet and confers with such person or persons participating,
 16 with Plaintiffs to provide in writing by January 17, 2025, questions to be answered
 17 concerning the functionality of the "F," "A," "L," and "B" sources, and with such meet and
 18 confers to be scheduled for times on or before January 27, 2025, or as soon as practicable
 19 thereafter based upon the availability of the knowledgeable persons.

20 **Joint Letter Brief re RFP Nos. 37 and 50 (Account Sign Up and Cancellation Interfaces)**
 21 **(Dkt. 1542)**

22 3) With respect to Plaintiffs' request that the Court compel YouTube to (1) identify Google
 23 custodians and search for and produce historical user interfaces in their files and (2)
 24 recreate historical user interfaces from source code and change logs in connection with the
 25 Parties' Joint Letter Brief re RFP Nos. 37 and 50 (Account Sign Up and Cancellation
 26 Interfaces), the Joint Letter Brief is withdrawn without prejudice in light of the resolution
 27 reached by the Parties in advance of the Discovery Management Conference without need
 28 for Court intervention.

1 **IT IS SO ORDERED**
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4 DATED: January __, 2025

5 Hon. Peter H. Kang
6 United States District Court Magistrate Judge

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8 DATED: January 21, 2025

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21 **ATTESTATION**

22 I, Audrey Siegel, hereby attest, pursuant to N.D. Cal. Civil L.R. 5-1(i)(3), that the
 23 concurrence to the filing of this document has been obtained from each signatory hereto.

25 Dated: January 21, 2025

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